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An interview was conducted between the undersigned and Examiner Pham on October 19, 2004.

The undersigned asserted that the amendments made to claim 36 in his September 27, 2004 filed response overcome the rejection of claim 36 for the reasons of record filed therewith. The Examiner concurred that the amendments overcome the rejection of claim 36 with respect to U.S. Patent No. 4,320,191, and will further consider the application and likely conduct further searching.

Respectfully submitted,

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